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An Office action setting forth a restriction requirement was mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 3, 2004. Applicants submitted a complete response on July 1, 2004. Applicants now submit this Supplemental Amendment paper to correct inadvertent errors in the previously submitted claim set. Applicants believe that submission of this paper requires no fee or petition for extension of time. However, if Applicants are in error, consider this a conditional petition therefor and authorization to charge attorney's deposit account 20-0531 accordingly.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.



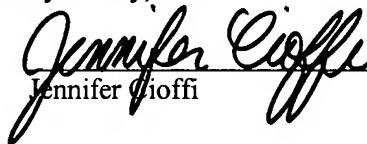
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Submitted herewith are:

- (1) Transmittal Form (1 pg.);
- (2) Supplemental Amendment (6 pgs.); and
- (3) A return receipt postcard.



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